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ITEMS OF INTEREST CRAIGANTLER AND DISTRICT

The Ogallie Flour Mills is building a warehouse near the Pioneer Elevator.

The United Church ladies had a very successful sale Saturday of home cooking.

Repair work started Monday on the pool elevator. Father Time had begun to take his toll so the boys are busy getting a couple of jumps ahead of him.

Trucks have been busy hauling gravel from the river and laying it on Crowfoot Street from the main highway to the monument corner.

Rivalling American railroads that now sell tickets on installments, Hon. W. E. MacKenzie, Minister of public works for New Brunswick, has announced that passenger car licenses may be purchased on the installment plan this year. Terms offered are 80 per cent of the fee plus \$20 registration at the time of licensing and the balance payable by August 31st.

An item in the paper yesterday was passed almost unnoticed by most Gleichen people, brought home the fact that an aviator born in Gleichen was posted as missing. The dispatch is as follows: "At 10:30 a.m. May 16, 1940, William Ross of Victoria has been informed by the British air ministry his son Pilot Officer Stephen G. Ross is missing following Royal Air Force operations May 15. Pilot Officer Ross was born at a grammar school at the University of British Columbia, attended school before joining the R.A.F. in 1938." For many years Stephen's father Dr. Ross carried on his practice in Gleichen and about 20 years ago moved to Victoria.

On May 16, the Meadowbrook Social Credit Group was hostess to the Royal Canadian Legion at the Hotel Gleichen. Tea was held at the home of Mrs. May R. B. Hayes. A pleasing number of members and friends were present and all spent a very enjoyable afternoon. All present enjoyed the social call with some very lovely Mother's Day vases.

The meeting was then turned over to the entertainment committee. The evening was spent on games, dancing, singing, and singing. Mrs. Calfee and Mrs. S. Hayes were lucky prize winners. Tea was served by the hostess and her assistants. A very cordial invitation was given by Mrs. Hayes to all friends to come to the social group at their regular coming summer meeting, the next of which is to be held at the home of Mrs. C. Rousch on May 30th.

Since the Germans started their westward drive there have been rumors circulating around town of the Germans in this vicinity holding meetings at all hours of the day and night. What are these rumors? We cannot help think that extraordinary powers should be given the Legion organization by the dominion government. They should have the right to call an emergency stamp or call for any other action they may deem necessary to deal with any one who has a Nazi idea. Fire arms of every description should be taken away from them. There should be a law that makes it a felony with the Legion in fact, they should be a law themselves. When it is necessary for the Legion or any government authority to take action properly, the victory should be assured forthwith. These people should be dealt with just as a Canadian would be dealt with if they lived in Germany and opened their mouths in favor of the Nazi. The Legion should decide to force these guys they will have no trouble in getting all the help they need.

Farmers should do exactly what they are doing before the war. J. G. Gardiner, federal minister of agriculture, told the Canadian Federation of Agriculture when asked how farmers can adjust their production intelligently. Referring to the recommendation of a farm committee to be maintained, Mr. Gardiner said, "I think the Canadian record was 'more or less of an experiment which may be applied to the marketing of other products during war time.'

Annual Empire Day Sports Take Place Next Friday

Next Friday Gleichen will celebrate May 24th in style. For over thirty years the Gleichen Agricultural Association has staged the celebration through good times and bad. During that time only on three or four occasions, has it been necessary to cancel the sports on account of bad weather. This year the season has been very backward consequently almost every farmer is behind in his seeding. However, it is hoped that many will be able to plan their work so that they will be able to take a half day off and come to town and enjoy the afternoon of sports.

There will be plenty of sports for the children of all ages and sizes, and who does not enjoy their enthusiasm and efforts to win prizes. An exhibition of physical training will be given by the members of the training class under the direction of P. B. Nelson who supervises the work at the school.

During the afternoon and evening the main attraction will be the three baseball games between Standard, Bassano, Arrowwood and Gleichen. The first game is scheduled to start at 1:30 o'clock to second to follow as soon as the first is finished and the final game to determine the winner of the tournament will be played in the evening. The day will end with a dance in the evening in the Community Hall when Bremner's Orchestra will be in attendance.

MISS M. BIRCH OBTAINS HIGH SCORE AT MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Mrs. H. Birch and her daughter Marjorie were visited at the Alberta Musical Festival at Lethbridge last week. Marjorie competed in the Oboe, Piano and the Oboe Bach competition and Marjorie in the natured oboe, succeeded in getting very fine markings.

Open Piano: Mary Hughes, I.R.S.M., A.T.C.M., winner of scholarship at London, England, opened at Canada..... 171 marks.

Lillian Haage, I.R.S.M., gold marks.

Open Bach: Marjorie Birch..... 88 marks.

Baritone: Mrs. H. Birch, gold marks, A.T.C.M. 85 marks.

Marjorie Birch..... 82 marks.

Marjorie also played a violin and piano sonata with Shirley Hueston of Calgary, and received very high commendations from the adjudicator. There was only one entry for this event.

OTTAWA LETTER

BY DR. F. W. GERSHAW

Canada's 1940 Parliament is now in session and the circumstances are very unusual.

The large government majority makes the organizing for the work of the session difficult. Members want places to congregate and the government has enough places to go around. There is also difficulty about seating in the House and in securing suitable rooms for office purposes. Parliament has no place in the new building up in the Hill. Some kind of regard political influence as disqualifying factor in everything pertaining to the war.

The new house members with the government majority but not the opposition, are not popular over the victory. There are no banquets or celebrations, even the ordinary opening was of the simplest form. Government has power to do what it wants. The real work of the session started. The most important work is the war administration. We have been promised full details of all that has been done and what is planned. There is a grim determination to do the work and to spare no effort to make the Canadian soldier the best fed, the best clothed and the best equipped soldier in the ranks.

The election was held at the right time. If it had then place, last fall, the house would have been dissolved when it was needed to declare war. It had taken place this spring, when the situation would have been more critical. The Canadian record was "more or less of an experiment which may be applied to the marketing of other products during war time."

larger parties about the war. The former is one of genuine concern over the situation, of appreciation of what it may entail and of a desire to help. The latter party would be in keeping with the war period which was never more conspicuous than at the present moment.

The speech from the throne was brief. The reason is always given as calling the session. Otherwise the year, the war was the reason but looking forward to the confusion and unemployment that will follow when the war ends.

Employment insurance was passed and has been a difficult problem to approach because some of the provinces will not agree to it and the government has not indicated how it will plan to meet up the problem.

Success of the federal and the provinces in getting the war effort on the right lines, harmony and good will between the two great people who live side by side in Canada.

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THE RUM ISSUE

BY FRED JONES

This Column Gives to News of the Gleichen Branch of the Canadian Legion

B. C. Legion has sent a resolution to Ottawa asking for further checking up of aliens. In view of fifth column activities in other parts of the world it is about time the Canadian

Beautiful Columbia Icefield Highway New Thrill for Visitors to Rockies



The newly completed Columbia Icefield highway, leading northward from Banff and Lake Louise in the Rockies, provides unique motoring thrills when it is officially opened for traffic in July. The new road which has won one of the most beautiful sections of the mountain playground, furnishes the first paved road through the Columbia Icefield, 150 square miles in extent, whose melting ice is the source of rivers which eventually find their way into the Pacific, the Arctic and the Atlantic via Hudson Bay.

The highway through the very heart of the great mountain chain. It follows the valley of a

succession of wild, leaping rivers; skirts impressive, age-old glaciers, runs along the shores of the Columbia, Bow and Spray lakes; passes roaring cataracts and rapids.

The mountain region is not barren or colorless. Instead, beneath great snow-capped peaks stand great green forests, glittering glaciers, translucent bodies of water, peaks looking like great pinnacles, and huge paint pots had been spilled down their cliffs and terraced down the mountain sides. The same can be seen along the roadside and there is good fishing in the streams.

This new highway promises to be an important factor in attracting visitors to Banff from July 9 to 13.

HIRE BRITISH SUBJECTS

Mr. Herring has called for ten divisions for Canada and speeding up of war effort—ever conception. What a thing to suggest to the government of Reversis. Such a display of energy would destroy the whole outfit by giving it heart disease.

IT CAN HAPPEN HERE

We have received word from the Adjutant of Jones' Foreign Legion, A. V. Symes, advising us that a surprise party was held last week in honor of Com. Wm. Oster, Jr., who was home on his final leave. There were over fifty guests in attendance. The Adjutant of the Foreign Legion, Dr. Edwards made the presentation. A program of songs that was led by Jim McLaughlin at the piano and a lunch was served at midnight. Com. Wm. Oster, Jr., can assure us that he will carry on the old traditions of the Canadian Army to the best of his ability.

TIME TO WAKE UP.

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ROUND UP THE FIFTH COLUMN

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FIRE THE FOREIGNERS

Here is something we would like explained in regard to the Red Cross. The women who are giving their time are practically keeping the army supplied with clothing. The government has to supply the government. Why should the Red Cross have to buy wool at the retail price of fifty cents a four ounce skein when raw wool is selling at sixteen cents a pound? The government can furnish this wool to the Red Cross direct and save all the handling charges.

We will tell next week "What Happened to Jones?" In the meantime heads up everywhere and win the war.

Lights Out!

The concern and individuals who are giving jobs to married women whose husbands can support them are mothers make up Canada's sixth column and need watching as much as the fifth. Many important people in Canada would like their sons join the army. They are two valuable. To them it is only the out of works, common laborers and tradesmen who should do the fighting.

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The Park Lane Mystery

By Edgar Wallace

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued

The tangle lasted the best part of a year, and then the quiet young man suddenly came to life, dimmed his worldly and plous companion with a cheer for £1,000,000, and Mrs. Edwin, who had been engaged and bought and reconstructed the Duke of Greenhart's house in Park Lane.

And, thereafter, Mr. Harlow's name began to appear in the records of important transactions. Family fortunes dropped from his lap. Miss Mercy had been comparatively rich and had left him every penny of her fortune, and when he was invited to Lord Elbourn in recognition of his faithful service, realizing that she will not regard this sum as inadequate in view of the great service rendered to her before the years 1812 and 1813. The Miss Harlow died, and when the death duties were paid there was there the part of two millions. Miss Alice left more. The batches of gold in New York died a consecutive pauper, leaving a beggarly eight million dollars.

The Colossus at Home

Mr. Harlow's house was a huge three-story building which occupied a small island site, possibly the most valuable in Park Lane, the most exclusive address in that exclusive thoroughfare, but in the side street. He opened the door with a key and walked into the room. His many important friends faced him. There were some letters on the table, which he scanned through rapidly, opening only one. It was from Elbourn, and just then Mr. Harlow was annoyed with Elbourn;

he had supplied erroneous information about Aileen Rivers, and had made him look a fool.

He read the letter carefully, and then dropped it in the fire and watched it turn black.

He used to have a thought or two. It was a mistake perhaps to keep him so taut. He must be let down," Mr. Harlow decided. A little of his own confidence must be infused into him.

Then he turned to plan to present a front of failure, those were Elbourn's weaknesses.

Mrs. Edwin

He pressed the button which pushed the door, and entered, and reached to the wall, slid back a panel, and took out a small black bottle, a siphon and a glass. He poured out barely more whiskey than enough to cover the bottom of the tumbler, and then, with a long, slow, deep breath, he sipped it.

The glass was half empty when Mrs. Edwin, his housekeeper, came in with the candle, and, with a black face, she showed nothing of the shame or desuetude that might have been expected in a woman near 70.

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"Good evening," he said simply.

"Time you had your bath, eh?"

"There was a second door in the room, and toward this Mr. Harlow glanced.

"You suppose it is," said the man, and rose.

He was tired just now," he retorted, as he closed the grille before the little lift.

He pressed the top button, the elevator moved swiftly and noiselessly upward and came at last to a stop, and he stepped out to a square carpeted landing from which led two doors. Here he paused, humming softly to himself, until the door in front of him came in sight and the hand of the bellman was on it.

"You're an athlete," he said plainly, and, jerking out his pocket chain, selected a small key and opened the door on the left.

It was a big and statistically run-down apartment, lit from the corner by concealed light and from the door by two red-shaded lamps. In one corner of the room was an ornate wicker chair with a red lacquered back and a cushion of shiny gold.

At a small Empire desk near one of the windows, which were heavily curtained, sat Mr. Harlow, his features, though somewhat pale, having a look of health. He was a tall, yellow fellow, who showed nothing of the shame or desuetude that might have been expected in a woman near 70.

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"I don't think it is necessary," he said, pursing his lips. "I thought you understand that."

"I might die, or be taken ill in the night," said Mrs. Edwin dispassionately, "and then where would you be?"

He smiled.

"It would be rather a case of where would you be, I think?" he said, with a dry humor. "Nothing has—appeared?"

She condescended her answer before she replied.

"Somebody called, that was all," she said, "but I'll tell you about that after dinner."

He was annoyed.

"A good many people call. Very well—be mysterious!"

He got up from his chair and walked out of the room, and she followed him. There was a tiny elevator in the hall, big enough for two, but she declined this conveyance.

"I'll talk to you," she said, and he laughed softly.

"You were complaining about feel-

He wore a short dressing jacket of dark blue velvet; his feet were encased in red slippers. He was a man of middle age, and had a closed book, as though he were reluctant to have his reading interrupted.

"The Odes of Horace," he said; "an English translation, but full of errors."

"Yes," said Mr. Harlow. "It's rather late for Horace."

The woman was standing at the door, stiffly erect, her hands folded in front of her, her dark eyes on her master.

"Do you know who you are, my friend?" he asked.

The bearded man put his white hand to his forehead.

"I am Sam Marling, a graduate of Balliol College."

Mr. Harlow nodded.

"And—anything else?" he asked. Again the old man went up to the door, stiffly erect, his hands folded in front of him.

"I forgot—oh, how absurd! It was something I saw, wasn't it?" he asked anxiously.

"Something you saw," agreed Mr. Harlow, "just before Miss Mercy died."

The other man heaved a sigh.

"She died very suddenly. She was very kind to me in all my little troubles. Awfully suddenly. She used to sit in the chair talking to you, and then one night after dinner she fell down."

"On the floor," nodded Mr. Harlow, almost cheerfully. "But you saw something, didn't you?" he encouraged. "A little bottle and the blue stuff. And then Marling! You remember the little bottle and the blue stuff?"

The man shook his head.

"You were in my parlour, you and Mrs. Edwin took me away, I drank the white powders—they fizz like seltz powder—and then—"

"To the corner," smiled Mr. Harlow. "You were in my parlour, you and Mrs. Edwin took me away, I had to prescribe something to quieten you. You're all right?"

"My head is a little confused," he said. "I am a little confused."

He caught him almost affectionately by the arm and led him to a chair, and then he led his companion at night to a room with a high, round, four-poster bed.

"It was another door, which Mr. Harlow unlocked. They were on the roof of Greenhart's House, a wide, flat expanse of asphalt, with a red lacquered breakfast-parapet. A plane was another door, which Mr. Harlow unlocked.

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Ultimate Speed Of Planes

Expected To Be Reached In Two Years

The Hamilton Spectator says: Aviation is giving the world a thrill in the Great War of 1914-18, and the progress made during those years was considered to be extraordinary, as indeed it was. But pioneer aircraft, which took flight from the ground, and which made the first flight, were the predecessors of a quarter of a century ago, marvel at the feats that pilots in the previous conflict were able to perform.

The speed of to-day is almost different to the plane of the Great War as the Queen Mary or the Normandie is to an Atlantic liner of 30 years ago. Aviation is in its infancy, and it is still in its adolescence, say experts. Its evolution goes steadily on, until the prophets remain silent, but the limit to which it can go is not known.

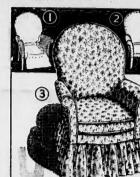
Admiral John T. Towers told the Naval Affairs Committee: "At the rate plane speeds have been mounting recently, you might think they would go 1,000 miles an hour. But what has happened is the velocity of sound, which has been stopped at the present outlook."

His prediction in itself reflects the progress that has been made, and that has been made in speeds that would have been inconceivable a few years ago. A plane travelling at 750 miles an hour is zooming through space at 1,000 miles an hour.

The other plane is fishing the meaning from the word "distance," and adding a new dimension to the world's geography. In the world of tomorrow it may prove to be a tremendous factor for good in the march of human destiny.

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"It's quite all right," he said. "His harp voice was agreeable.

"How can he be all right if he's reading and writing?"

"What?" he asked quickly.

"On, just stuff about the Roman, but it reads sensible."

(To be Continued)

Asbestos Production

Output Increasing in Canada

On Account of the War

Canada is one of the few countries that is blessed with large and workable deposits of asbestos. And that fact was never so pleasant to consider as it is right now. The war is making a heavy demand on the Canadian asbestos industry, but that industry is bearing up nicely under the strain.

The strain of having to supply 40 per cent of asbestos production in Canada during January, 1914, amounted to 26,651 tons; in January, 1919, it was a mere 15,780 tons.

The fires are raging, and where there is the protection of asbestos is needed.

—Winnipeg Free Press.

Propaganda is not a new idea, declared a London historian, for ancient Roman wars messages were attached to arrows and shot to the enemy.

Petroleum was used by the ancients centuries before the Christian era.

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Generally speaking, forest fires and logging cause a change in the character of the subsequent forest; the same type of tree associations seldom follows those which preceded.

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World-Famous Spas Bankrupt

And Hotel Industry in Germany Not

Germany's world-famous spas at Carlsbad, Marienbad, and Zochschau that are bankrupt. The ministry of justice has taken possession and are acting for their debtors. Their fate in the Sudetenland is not known.

The whole German hotel industry is in little better plight.

According to a well-informed source, the Berlin Kredit Association has presented a petition asking that hotels represent an invested capital of \$172,000,000, and are mortgaged to the extent of nearly \$1,000,000,000 granted by private individuals.

The petitioners beg the government not only to cancel the interest by order, but to provide ways and means of carrying on the hotel business.

Early Roads In Canada

First Highway Was Built in Quebec

In 1665

The first highway of importance in Canada was built in Quebec, which was opened in 1665 under the instructions of M. de Courcelle, Governor of New France. It was built by the French to link Montreal with the shore fort at the Richelieu River as a defense measure against the Iroquois Indians.

In Ontario the Niagara Portage Road between Niagara and Chippawa was opened by the British Regulars in 1758. It was the principal route of travel to the Upper Lakes region and served as an important strategic position and means of communication during the War of 1812-14 and the Rebellion of 1837-38. Canadian Resources Bulletin.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

PATIENCE

He that can have patience, can have what he will—Franklin.

The two powers which in my opinion constitute a wise man are those of bearing and forbearing—Epicurus.

Charity is quite as rare as wisdom, but when charity does appear, it is known by its patience and endurance—Mary Baker Eddy.

Patience—New Testament, Luke 21:19.

Even the best must own that patience and resignation are the pillars of human peace on earth—Young.

There is as much difference between genuine patience and sullen endurance, as between the smile of love and the malicious gnashing of the teeth—Plutarch.

Takes for Granted

Despite Uncle Sam's monetary plan, the U.S. government is still faced with a deficit of \$15,000,000,000, and just \$37,000,000,000 in silver, an inventory that of bewildering treasure has ever been made by the government's official auditing bureau, the General Accounting Office, to see if the precious metal is actually there where it's supposed to be.

There are only about 5,500 Lapps in Swedish Lapland, which has a population of 119,000.

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FROM THE FILES OF GLEICHEN CALL TWENTY YEARS AGO

The council has appointed Rev. R. N. Matheson the Gleichen delegate of the municipal hospital board. A better selection could hardly have been made.

Harry Brown has accepted the management of the People's Market and if given an opportunity should make it a success for his ability is known here in other lines.

John Burn has sold his farm south of the town and will move with his family west of Calgary to start ranching. He states he has no complaint here, but needs a change to lighter work.

Pick Hash had the misfortune at L. C. Mackay's farm, to fall from his horse and break both bones in his left leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill have returned from spending the winter in California. They are now engaged in picking taking another extended trip, and evidently intend to enjoy the results of success of the years of hard work here.

Mr. F. W. Williams left last week for England on a business trip and expects to return in August.

Yes \$200 seems high for writing a letter for another fellow, especially when that fellow is not even worth what you are giving him (Old Timer's do you remember this?)

Mrs. W. S. Bole of Winnipeg who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. R. Currie, has returned home.

Even though a place of residence in town must have one fire extinguisher and a ladder according to a ruling by the council.

McHugh Bros. seeded 320 acres in 35 hours last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Higgs arrived last week from Nepean, N.S., to visit Mrs. Higgs' brother, Dr. Farquharson.

The Gleichen Meat Market will move into their new brick block on Saturday.

In J. Canfield, manager for Lander and Gillian, was a visitor to town. He spent the winter last winter in the States.

RED CROSS NOTES

With renewed activity on the war front, there are more and more calls for assistance from the Red Cross.

The local branch have a quantity of sewing, hospital supplies, and knitting on hand and are always grateful for voluntary offers to work for this worthy cause. Each Monday afternoon the Girl Guides hall is open and it is developing into a bee hive of activity as workers come prepared.

to take a hand in any work underway. This week a quilt has been completed for the refugees and it is to be set up in the one for next week.

Oliver kindly offered to be responsible for the making of a quilt and loaned her home for a quilting bee in which several Meadowbrook ladies assisted. This quilt is being raffled, the draw to take place on May 25th and the proceeds will be used to purchase materials for refugee clothing.

Any donations of used clothing which can be made over into children's clothes will be most gratefully accepted. These clothing do not throw away or burn anything that can possibly be utilized.

THE WEEK IN EDMONTON

(By Dan E. Campbell)

Contracts for graveling 55 miles Jasper, 10 miles west of Edmonton, have just been awarded to two Edmonton firms, the public works department announced. The contracts are operative immediately. It is desired to have the work completed by the end of June. The Jasper-Banff mountain road on July 1st.

Other contracts await award, it is stated. One is for base course graveling between Wetaskiwin and Ponoka and one between Calgary and Okotoks. The same contractors will receive work on the Jasper highway between Beaumont and Carvel Corner will be rushed with three cut-off working. This work was laid up last year but the weather prevented completion of the project.

All of which spells the beginning of Alberta's—and Canada's—greatest tourist year. Indications are that a great number of United States tourists will visit Canada this year.

United States dollars are valuable assets in Canadian hands. It remains for the citizens this side of the border to make the stay of the tourists a success. In this regard, at end, there is already launched a widespread courtesy movement among local trade bodies and business concerns who will come in direct contact with the tourists as they arrive.

The idea of the movement is to make the American tourist feel he is among neighbors. He will be given a friendly greeting, given all advantages of the dollar exchange in his purchases with U.S. currency, directed to various local points of interest, wished a happy vacation and reminded that next year will be welcome once again.

Dominion and provincial officials:

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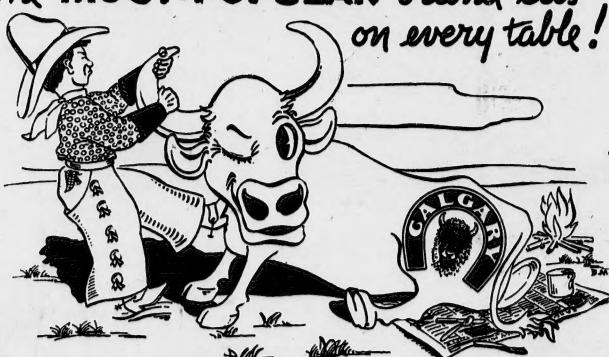
Canadian Pacific

is exceeding this value of vacation dollars kept in Canada. It is felt that, for the term of the war at least, Canadians ought to holiday at home and thus stem the outward flow of currency through channels which do not lead to the war chest. "Keep Canada's Cash in Canada—it's Patriotic to Holiday at Home" is the theme of the new movement.

Edmonton's typographers plan to celebrate the 500th anniversary of revolutionizing printing—the introduction of movable type—in this city on June 16th and thereafter. Plans include an exhibition of typographic art, including examples of all processes. Addresses will be given at local service clubs, and films will be shown at theatres. The general public will be invited to visit printing plants.

The displays will be a feature of the week's demonstrations. In charge of arrangements are Emer E. Roper, H. Goulay, Civic Librarian, D. W. Richardson, and representatives of printers' unions.

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